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the Register's article yesterday assalling

Mr. FARNSWORTH, was that part of it

the people of his circuit hell in broker

would do well to return to his den, &c."

All who know Judge Irvine, and know

what an unoffending, modest and gentle-

plied to him in the columns of

named by one MICHAEL CASSIO.

meant to have something to say concern-

retted hydrogen; and third, the pre

THE RED TAPE OF THE ARMY .- A gen-

ernl order, just issued by General Sher-

man, directs that officers of the army

must not apply to him for leaves of ab-

ulations and military discipline. All such

dressed to the Adjutant General. Appli-

cations made otherwise will be construed

Turnews from New York this morning

indicates that all fattempts to provide at

the debt will be abandoned. It is believ-

ed this, with the general reduction of the

nterest rate in Germany and other parts

increased demand for United States secu-

A bill to appoint Commissioners to treat

for the adjustment of the debt, has passed

LOGAN COUNTY.

of Supervisors, for their first act, after organizing, done away with licenses to keep grog shops, and I do hope that no man can ever again be found that will either sell or allow license to sell spirits in Logan county. It has been a curse to this county since its formation, forty-six years ago, and has just cut its eye leeth and is ready now to unfledge its wings. May God protect and direct us is now my prayer, and once the people see the difference nothing can induce them to look back and establish these shops to have their children rulned soul and body for no earthly gain whatever.

earthly gain whatever.

LOGAN COUNTY, W. VA.,

rities, with a consequent rise in price.

water pressure gauge.

as breach of discipline.

the Virginia House.

WHEELING, W. VA., FRIDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 18, 1870.

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immense good it has accomplished deimmense good it has accomplished, de-plores its approaching end.

The merchants of Glasgow last evening held an indignation meeting and denounc-ed the present management of the new telegraphic system.

A Fenian demonstration was announced

A Feman demonstration was announced to take place at Cork yesterday, but it was epressed by the authorities.

FRANCE:

Pants, Feb. 17.
The specie in the bank of France, has creased \$121,000,000 france in the past

FOREIGN NEWS.

The Marseillaise publishes a letter from gentleman of Boston, to Francis Vincent tappael, in which he says he encloses, fif-y francs toward erecting a monument to leter Noir and M. Baudin Rappel.

The Irreconciliable publishes a letter om Victor Hugo to Henri Rochefort,

was necessary was to give to the courts
power to enforce the convictions for violation of the law, and to show that the
Government of the United States meant
business and did not mean to temporize calling the letter a tarce.

The trul of the editor of the Reviliere con organ, for violation of the press law, has lust been brought to a close. M. De Lesehusel, chief editor, was sentenced to imprisonment for thirteen months, and to pay a fine of 2,300 francs. M. C. Aron, another editor, was sentenced to six business and did not mean to temporize longer with that iniquity.

The morning hour having expired the bill went over till the next morning hour.

Mr. Van Wyck, of New York, took the onth as member of the House.

The committee then took up the legislative appropriation bill. After progressing through only two pages of the bill the committee rose. nother editor, was sentenced to six conths imprisonment and a fine of 2,000

The Empress Eugene has been seriously

ill, but is now better.

The Journal Officiale publishes an imperial decree, which, by request of the Minister of Justice, annuls the decree of 1851. aster of Justice, annuls the accree of 1821, giving to the government, the power of transporting to penal settlements parties who belong to secret political societies. The Minister says this power is abolished because it is incompatible with a liberal Gustave Flourers has been sentenced

Mr. Wilson from the Committee of Conference on the West Point appropriation bill, made a report which was adopted; that the Senate recedes from its amendment of striking out the clause for the appointment of two Senators and three Bepresentatives in the Board of Visitors.

Mr. Scorr from the Naval Committee gave notice that the following resolution had been adopted for the government of the action of the Committee Congress ought not entertain the applications of oil, sers for restoration to the maval service, who have been dismissed therefrom by sentence of court martial, unless such to six months imprisonment and 100 fra fine, and M. Dereure, publisher of Muraeillaise, to two months imprisonm and 500 francs fine, for publishing fi Mirreillaise, to two months imprisonment and 500 francs fine, for publishing false news of persons arrested during the late riots. Those convicted of carrying arms have been condemned to three and fou months imprisonment, and those convict-

months impresented, and those convected of uttering seditions crics to fifteen and thirty days imprisonment.

A meeting of the Deputies of the Left Centro in the Corps Legislatif will be held to-morrow. Immediate action on Centre in the Corps Legislatif will be held to-morrow. Immediate action on the interpolation introduced in the Chamber by Jules Farre, concerning the domestic policy of the Government, will be urged, and a resolution will be introduced declaring that if the Ministry do not accept the interpolation the Let Centre will vote with the Extreme Let.

The La Patrie pronounces false the report that Austria and other powers had transmitted to Rome a remonstrance

transmitted to Rome a remonstrance against the Papal Syllabus.

safe guards were provided against a re-currence of terrible fraud, heretofore per-petrated, the access to naturalization by well disposed persons, might not be im-peded, such was the purpose of the bill. The Mississippi bill was then taken up. After discussion by Messrs. Fowler, Sawyer, Diake, Sumner, Warner, Thayer, Cameron and Trumnull, the Senate proceeded to vote upon the pend-ing amendments of the bill. Mr. Willey's amendment to repeal the conditions on the Virginia bill, was de-feated. The Carlist disturbances are reported at Murico, Catalojud and other places, but they were promptly suppressed. The in-dications are unmistakably that the Carlists are plotting for a general outbreak in the spring. The government is aware of their designs and are prepared to meet amendments of the Senate Committee to strike out of the bill all conditions, and simply declare the State entitled to repre-sentation, which was voted down.

SWEDEN. Втоскногм, Feb. 17.

The Diet passed a law admitting dissenters and Jews to political rights. The King signed the law immediately.

NEW YORK CITY.

NEW YORK, Feb. 17. At a meeting of the Board of Education yesterday, a letter was received from the trustees of the Seventh Ward, recommend

trustees of the Seventh Ward, recommending that the ancient Irish language be taught in public schools. The letter was referred to the Committee on Studies.

The Union League Club celebrated the anniversary of the battle of Port Donnetson last night, with a ball. Nearly 1900 persons were present, and it was a brilliant affair. The Eric Rallway Company, Jas. Fiske

Jr., and others, have been sued and en-joined in the Common Pleas, in regard to twelve templetion now being placed in the I reduction grand opera house. Another action, is to the ex-tered to the carried with activity in a were also of the latter case are to be heard on Friday. in taril and state of the subject of much favor. The rise and activity in Government bonds in Europe were also of the subject of much comment, and Gerthe subject of much comment, and Gerthe subject of much comment, and Gerthe subject of much comment and Gerthe subject of much comments. Columbus Delano, Commissio

ternal Revenue, arrived in this city yester-day from Washington. He has come on expressly to investigate the late wholesale seizures by Collector Bailey of leading liquor merchants in the third district, which have not yet been presented to the local authorities. legal authorities.

Over 6,000 emigrants have arrived here

since January 1st.

The Pennemalle railroad tunnel has

The Pennemalle railroad tunnel has been excavated to a point half way between Murray and Barciay streets.

Last night the proprietors of the hotels of this city met to organize an ice company in opposition to the existing monopoly and for the protection of ice consumers generally.

A special dispatch states that the sensation so long promised socially, in the marriage of Count Esterbaz, of the Austrian legation, to Mrs. General Griffin, nee Carroll, is not after all to be produced. The report that an engagement has existed between these partles, and that Count Esterbaz had procured a special permission.

del between these parties, and that Count Esterbaz had procured a special permission from the Emperor of Austria to contract the alliance, proves to be without foundation, as nothing of the kind has ever been contemplated by either party. In Patterson, N. J., the trial in the suit of McGregor against the Erie Railway Company, for alleged over charges in freight, began yesterday. The defendant argued that the company has hitherto been charged to pay express companies more for freight loss than its action in placing the handling of freights in the hands of one responsible party was in self defence, and that consequently there exists an entire innocence of any intention to defraud or extort as alleged. to defraud or extort as all eged.

Ohio Legislature.

COLUMBUS, Feb. 17. The bill increasing the salaries of Su-preme Judges of Ohlo, was indefinitely postponed in the House of Representatives to-day. The bill prohibiting members of the Legislature, State officers and Judges from receiving railroad passes was also repealed. A bill passed the House mak-ing the levy for State purposes for 1870.

ST. LOUIS.

Sr. Louis, Feb. 17. ENGLAND.
LONDON, Feb. 17.
The Pull Mall Gazette reviews the history of the Freedmen's Bureau in the United States, and, after recounting the

and promises to last all day.

The lineral of the late Jno. J. Roe, was largely attended this morning.

The boiler in the Union Railway Car Works, of H. M. Woodward, on De Kalb street, in the extreme lower part of the city, exploded with a terrific force, at about 3 o'clock, killing Fred Kergin, Frank Collins, Paul DeBow and the engineer, name not ascertained, and injuring some half dozen by scalding, or falling bricks or timbers.

off f to \$4 per cent from the highest point of it shy. The present downward turn of affairs i being assisted by some leading operators, when yack stocks they sold freely during the pat two days on the top wave of the market. Misce lanous and express stocks are generally still, the only activity being in Facilic Mail. Wester Wildle, For Co. 1997, and the market should be supported by the control of the property of the property

Cincinnate, February 17.

PLOUR-Unchanged.
GRAIN-Wheat-Duil at \$1 0001 10 for red wit

Burren-Unchanged.
Corron-Dull and prices lower and Nomin

House—Dell at \$8 T&E0 25; recelpis 1,100 head,
PROVISIONS—Mees Pork—Quite but firm at \$71
\$77 25; no sales, Bilk Micate—Firmer at 11,
\$78 and 15c for shoulders, clear rib and clear
idos, loose. Bacon—Irregular; shoulders dell
181% 6915% for clear rib; sides in demand and
dvanced to fee; clear sold at 165,c, all packed;
ugur cured hams 174,6618%c, and dull; bulk
aras dull and offered freely at 183,c.:

liams duil and offered freely at 18%c.

Eoss—Be and steady.

Onessis—Duil at 165117/c.

Ones—Insect Oil—Firm and held at 98c;
small sales at this rato. Lard Oil—Unchanged

Gaocantes—Sugar—Quiet and steady. New
Orleans 18%c0348. Ferroleum—20. New
Orleans 18%c0348. Goreo—18%c04c. Melasses

Front 16%c05/c.

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MONEY—Market casy.

FIGURE—Lower mention graces motorately as extras at \$9.80\text{D}\$12\text{S}.

On 1 at \$7\text{MgsTigc}\$, No. 2 at \$90\text{G}\$61c; closing with buyers at \$81c; and sollers at \$81\text{G}\$ the with buyers at \$81c; and sollers at \$81\text{G}\$ the sollers

Barley—Quiet as House—Bry—Quiet a Hous—Dressed—Firm and steady; closing at \$10 225,10 50, dividing on 200 5 s. Live—Steady and firm at \$2 855,24 40 for common to extra princ, CATILS—Ready at \$4 605,7 25 for fair butchers to choice shipping steers.

New York Produce Market.

New York, February 17.

Corron—Unsettled and decidedly lower 2.300 bales sold at 24% for middling uplands.

FLOUR—Closed rather quiet, but without decided change in prices; low grades of extra not plenty and in fair demand for export.

GRAIN.—Wheat—Dull and fsirongly in buyers' favor at \$1 1951 18 for No. 2 spring, and \$1 38% 13 for whoter red and amber western. Ryence and the second of the second control of th

ady. —Dull and without decided change

western superfute \$4 7365 to; extra \$5 3265 55; family \$6 1226 75. Gaan.—Wheat.—Unchanged; Pennsylvania \$1 2560 125. Corn—Less firm; white \$250,96c; yellow \$65,05c. Oats—Firm at 536,55c. Ryo— \$256,631. visions.— Pork — Quiet at \$27 50@38 00.

—Firm; rib sides 15%@16c; clear rib 16%@
shoulders 12%@13c; hams 19@20c.

New York Dry Goods Market.
New York, February 17.
Business is of an unsteady character; price iron and market very strong for all kinds of pial outon goods, with no change in rates.

The election of United States Senators, as stated yesterday, was finally made in the joint convention of the Legislature today. Governor Bullock sent a message to the Legislature, this morning, making an enhorate argument that the act of Congress of December 23, and previous reconstruction acts, do not render invalid any ordinary laws massed by the several Legislature. ordinary laws passed by the several Leg-islatures. All contracts entered into by the State and by corporations, under th the State and by corporations, under the State authority, are legal and binding. The Governor says the impression sought to be created that legal laws are invali-dated, State bonds repudiated, and corpo-rations, organized upon the basis of late legislation without legal foundation, is en-tirely groundless.

legislation without legal foundation, is en-tirely groundless.

Foster Biodgett this evening addressed a letter to the Governor requesting him to withhold the certificate of his election as Senator. Mr. Biodgett explains his pre-vious political course, and refers to his having been indicated by political oppo-nents for the purpose of destroying his his influence. He closes as follows: "Alhis influence. He closes as follows: "Al-though those who procured the indictment now confess it was done for political ef-fect, and it rests unsupported by any proof, yet it is there, and never until it is with-drawn, or I have been triumphantly ac-quitted, can I, or will I, accept the posi-tion to which the honorable suffrages of my political friends have elevated me."

A CONTEMPORARY Says that a New York man who had not been out of the city for many years, fainted away in the pure air of the country. He was only re-

The Tariff Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10, 1870.

Careful inquiry leads to the conclusion that the tariff bill may already be regarded as a dead measure. It will be taken up in the House some time or other, and a walk or two will prophally be occupied in eek or two will probably be occupied in naking set speeches for and against it, or making set speeches for and against it, or on the general tariff question, and a motion will then be made to lay it on the table. It does not suit anybody, the high tariff men being as much displeased with it as anybody else. Some of the strongest men on that side of the question are trying to make an arrangement for saving a few of its provisions, but they do not find the prespect encouraging. The revenue tariff men are talking of a short bill, changing and reducing the rates on some articles, nd reducing the rates on some articles but the present indications are that noth-ing whatever will be done with the tariff

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Nale of Cadetships.
Washinton, Feb. 16, 1870.

Another fellow has been caught by the Committee which is investigating the sale of naval and military cadetships. His name is S. Newton Petitis, member of the last House from the Twentieth Pennsylvania District. This makes the third man, and no doubt whatever exists that rods are in pickle for several others, some of whom are in the present House. It will be a day worth seeing when the roll is called and they are expelled and turned over to the infamy of the country. The determination of the Committee is strong to advise and carry the expulsion of the o advise and carry the expulsion of th present representatives who are found rullty. The price paid for the cadetship in this case was eight hundred and fifty follars, and in one of the others it was

A LADY went into a dry goods store in a A LADY went into a my goods sore New England town and inquired for "bleached cloth." Several pieces of sheeting were shown her for inspection, but failed to suit. "Perhaps," said the lady, "if I should tell you what I want it for, you would know what to give me. It is used for reposing robes." The man fainted.

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O'Connor dead.

The scarlet fever is raging fearfully in Napoleon, Jackson county, Michigan. In a single week, Edward Miller lost his wife and five children by this disease.

LATER.—Only the main building of Brimer's Woolen Works was destroyed, which diminishes the loss on the building which diminishes the loss on the building of mills on the dollar, this is one half mill which diminishes the loss on the building of mills on the dollar, this is one half mill which diminishes the loss on the building of mills on the dollar, this is one half mill which diminishes the loss on the building of mills on the dollar, this is one half mills on the dollar, the main building of the ma ULYSSES HINCHMAN, wife and five canadrea by this discusses.

In the New York Senate yesterday, a which diminishes the loss on the building report was made to enable the consolidation of the American and Foreign Bible Society with the American Baptist Publication Society.

Brimer's Works American and Foreign Bible and machinery from the amount first status and machinery from the amount first status. The building was valued at \$200, 000; stock and machinery \$200,000. Upon this there was an insurance of \$224,000. "Harry, you ought not to throw away nice bread like that; you may want it some day." "Well, mother, would I stand any better chance of getting it then if I should eat it now?" "Let me wind up your nose?" "No." said Dornbella, "I don't want it to run."

The Cost of a Free School Education A Card from Thomas G. Parnsworth.

Mr. Fainsworth, was that part of it wherein the editor goes out of his way to make an outrageous assault on Judge Invine, of Weston; who is certainly as innocent of offence towards that sheet as any gentleman in the city. It speaks of him as "that ancient shadow of death, Granny Invine," who "administers to the people of his circuit hell in broken To the Editor of the Intelligencer :

tute.

The most astonishing portion of his statement is as follows: "An estimate "made some years ago, states the cost of "conviction of criminals in Ohio, to be "about \$\$9 a head, while the school tax "was about \$\$2 a bend, of those of school "age. Hence while it costs something to "educate a child, and make of him a good loses," "using his infernal and hobgoblin presence;" saying "the venerable fury manly old man he is, will be shocked that ge. Hence while it costs something to ducate a child, and make of him a good such language as this should be ap-"and useful member of the body politic, i osts forty times as much to convict on

newspaper, and that without the shadow The Mayor of Philadelphia has state of provocation. Are gentlemen to be of provocation. Are gentlemen to be abused in this shameless manner simply because they exercise their right to visit this city and to remain here till they choose to go away again? What devil is this that seems to have taken possession of the columns of the Register? We hope it is the columns of the Register? We hope it is the columns of the Register? We hope it is to columns of the Register?

no worse a one than the invincible spirit to educate a pupil than it does in any city or State in the United States, representing the cost at various amounts, to different individuals, always below that of Phila MR. FARNSWORTH, of the House of Delegates, prints a card in our columns

delphia.

I do not know what it costs to educate a child in the State of Ohio, or in Philadelphia, and I have not the statistics at hand to make a calculation for Wheeling for the year 1809. The facts and figures for 1808 are as follows:

The real and personal property in the city school district in 1868 was \$0.913.232, the assessment made by the Board of Education was 58 cents on every \$100 of real and personal property. this morning in reply to a gross and calum-nions assault in yesterday's Register. We ing the Register's article, but the space at our command for this purpose has been filled by Mr. FARNSWORTH, and more to

children for \$50—the cost of conviction of one criminal—the State of West Virshould be absolutely free from sulphuginia could convict two criminals at \$80 per head for less than the cost of tuition of the gas at the works, and in the leadfor one child.

Mr. Burns, before closing his remarks, referred to the controversy of the Bible in the schools. I am a Protestant and have no beliefin the infallability of fallible man, and do believe that there are other causes in connection with the management of the public schools, that Protestants and Catholies have greater cause of offence than they have in regard to the Bible, proor con. ne child. ing mains, should, as a minimum, amount o from eight-tenths to one per cent of the

ence, or other personal favors, in any or con.

It would be more becoming both to the control of other manner than prescribed by the regclosets and thank God that there is no lay applications must be in writing and ad-description to the Adintant General Appli-ones to free schools, if they fear they will ones to free schools, if they fear they will be taught to be mistaken; that they are permitted to assemble them around the family hearth and teach them to speak the truth, where no one has as yet had the au-dacity to enter, attempt to molest, or make afraid of violating free school rules, con-cocted for contemptible purposes, SUUM CUIQUE.

the present session of Congress for funding JOSH BILLINGS IN THE EDITOR'S CHAIR. Josh Billangs in the Editor's Chair.

— His Ansers to Correspondents.—Fred—
Yew ain't obliged to ask the girl's mother if you may go home with her from a party; get the girl's endorsemnt, and go in; it is proper enough to ask her to take your arm, but you have no right to put your arm around her wast unless you meet a learn on the road and then you are at subof the Continent of Europe, will make an with Commissioners from West Virginia

bear on the road, and then you are at sup-posed to relinquish your hold as soon as the bear gets safely by Whip—You are rig right-mules live to a lonely age; I have known them myself to live one hundred years and not half try-You are also right about their being sure-footed; I have known them to kick a boy To the Editor of the Intelligencer:

I ngain call your attention to our cotton country down here in the Sunny South. Our countly has had a good deal of her territory stricken off and attached to Lincoln county; still we are in possession of eight or ten hundred square miles of coal and timber lands, equal if not superior to any boundary of equal extent in this or any other State in the Union. This county has silver and lead orea in it certain; and it is possible gold—although I have

rwice in a second, ten feet off.

Plutarch—You're mistaken; the Shakers don't marry. If young Shakers fall in love they are set to weedin onlons, which kures them forthwithly. I can't tell you how much it takes to join the Shakers, but I believe the expense used to be, including having your hair cut and learning to dance, about 65 dollars.

Sportsman—Your inquiry is not exactly in my line, but I hasto to reply as follows, to wil. The right length to cut off a dorg's till has never been fully discovered, but it is undoubtedly somewhere back of the ears, provided you get the dorg's consent. N. B.—It isn't necessary to have the dorg's consent in writing.

Kitty—To my own personal views in the premises, it appears that the best 'rat and mice exterminator is a well regulated Thomas cat; be ware of base inflations; sold by the respectable druggists.

THE FORTUNES OF MARRIAGE,-A married lady in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., many years ago was very sick, and expecting to die, became anxious as to her successor, and finally selected a fit person to step into her shoes, asking as a dying favor consummation of the marriage be fore her death, that she might die happy. This request was granted, when she began to recover, and in a short time the husband found himself the possessor of two wives, both enjoying good health. This was a little niore than was bargained for, but the two wives came to terms, and have lived in harmony, in the same house, till about six months ago, when they quarrelled, and upon calling for the husband to settle the matter, he decided in favor of the youngest wife, and the first wife is now doing housework in the neighborhood, with a fair prospect of "dying happy." Both women raised a family of children, some of whom are grown up men and women at tile present time. fore her death, that she might die happy

A LITTLE four-year-old boy in Richmond, Va., on being asked by his mother if he would not like to be an angel and have wings, replied that he would rather be a have and live on chicken.

The Latest News.

XLIst CONGRESS.

SECOND SESSION.

HOUSE.

mmittee rose.

Mr. Beck, from the Conference Com

mittee on the West Point appropriation bill, made a report, which was agreed to The House at 5 o'clock adjourned.

SENATE.

oles of law respecting naturalization, but in the administration of the law, so while

safe guards were provided against a re-currence of terrible fraud, heretofore per-

The vote was then taken upon the

simply declare the State entities to repre-sentation, which was voted down.

The bill was then read the third time and passed, by a party vote: yeas, 50; mays, 11.

The Senate at 5:30 adjourned.

NATIONAL FINANCES.

Reduction of Interest Rates in Europe -- Anticipated Rise in Government Bonds -

The chief feature in financial circles to

upon with general disfavor. Other tele-grams relating to the proposed reduction in tariff and Internal Revenue to the ex-

NEW YORK, Feb. 17.

The Funding Bill to be Abandoned-

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.

To the Editor of the Intelligencer: To the Editor of the Intelligencer:

I notice in the columns of the Daily Register of the 17th inst., an article headed "A traitor and his treason." In that article I am held responsible for the defeat of House Bill No. 37, amending the registration law. In adding to defeat that bill I am charged with treason to my constituents. In support of the charge of treason made by the editor, Mr. Walker, who was found in the House of Delegates WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.

The bill to prevent and punish polygany in Utah was considered, and Mr. CULLUM made a speech in its explanation and advocacy. He read a letter received this morning from a gentleman of character and in an official position in Utah, stating that unless this bill or some such bill was passed every man there who has not a woman will have to leave the territory, and that very soon, or place who was found in the House of Delegate who was found in the House of Delegates one day has week, so beastly drunk that he was not able to report for his paper, thereby disgracing the honorable profession of which he is an unworthy member, this imp of saten in human form attempts to sustain his infamous charges by publishing a letter purporting to have been written by John L. Nelson, signed by himself, M. J. Fogg and others, requesting me to support a certain Democratic platform of principles if elected. At the bottom of the letter I find the following: has not a woman will have to leave the territory, and that very soon, or place himself where he will inevitably be murdered by the Mormons, who were now trying to organize a force against the passage of this hill. He had not the slightest doubt that more than a few companies of soldiers would be necessary to enforce the laws in Utali. All that was necessary was to give to the courts

GENTLEMEN :- I endorse and ap the sentiments set forth in the above letter (Signed) "Thos. G. Farnsworth."

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Now, sir, to the facts in the case: Some time before the October election, ex-rebel Colonel, and late editor of the Upshur County Independent, John L. Nelson, came to me in my store, desiring me to sign a letter pledging myself to support the Democratic party, and the said party would secure my election. I remarked to Mr. Nelson that I was the carefulate of the Resulties and the said party without the said party with the said party with the said party with the said party without the said party with t candidate of the Republican party without opposition, I was under no obligation to opposition, I was under no obligation to him or his party, and did not wish to be. In a short time after Mr. Nelson left me, my cousin Thos. J. Farnsworth, approached me on the same subject, I gave him about the same answer I had given Mr. Nelson. A few days after, I was compelled to be absent from home for several days. Taking advantage of my absence, J. L. Nelson, J. R. Blair and A. M. Poundstone, circulated the report that I had sold out to the rebels. The Republican

clips sensor uses the purpose than we could have done it the purpose than we could have done it the purpose than we could have done it the vituperation which has been haunched at this gentleman by the Register and the Weston Democrat, will not do him any injury in the estimation of decent people. All this furious abuse is simply due to the fact that Mr. Fannsworth has proved too true a Republican and too honorable a man to sell himself to these fellows, and do their dirty work in the Legislature. Their abuse is the highest praise.

What Constitutes Good Gas?—In reply to the question, "What is good gas?" a German Gaslight Journal says that it should in the first place possess a normal illuminating power, and bear a certain comparison with what is called the normal standard candle. Any gas, which by a combustion of five cubic feet per hour exhibits a light equal to fifteen spermaceti candles, may be said to be considered for the first place possess a remove of the count place and contend that the principals and teachers is normal standard candle. Any gas, which by a combustion of five cubic feet per hour exhibits a light equal to fifteen spermaceti candles, may be said to be completed and personal property.

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It is both sinusing and insulting to listent to the reduction was to be held. I heard with great surplement to the first day of the water works pays his engineers that the principals pay the teachers under the principals and teachers is normal illuminating power, and bear a certain comparison with what is called the normal standard candle. Any gas, which by a combustion of five cubic feet per hour exhibits a light equal to fifteen spermacetic candles, may be said to be compared to the account of education, and denote for the company there assembled; all of which them.

If the State of Ohio can educate forty viče, who have been dismissed therefrom by sentence of court martial, unless such restoration is recommended by the Executive Department.

Mr. Dhake introduced a bill amending the naturalization laws. He referred to the pending propositions upon the subject, and said his own opinion was, a change was demanded, not in established principles of law respecting naturalization, but

Republican party for my support, and on them alone. I submitted a proposition to take a vote of all the Republicans in the Hause the publicans. House, the man receiving the greatest number of votes to be declared the candinumber of votes to be declared the candidate of the party. My proposition was agreed to by the chairman of the caucus and a large majority of the persons present. About that time, the one-horse lawyer A. M. Poundstone, sprang to his feet crying out: "The proposition is unfair; Buckhannon may have one hundred men present, some other township only forty." He at once called together his packed caucus, and proceeded to take the vote by delegations. I then announced that I had been unfairly and foully dealt with, and would not abide the decision of that corrupt caucus but would appeal to the peo-

would not abide the decision of that cor-rupt caucus but would appeal to the peo-ple, pledging myself, if elected, to use my utmost endeavor to unite and harmonize the Republican party.

All of my pledges made to the people I have faithfully kept to the best of my ability. Instead of the "red hot curses" of my constituents, I have the assurance

that my course meets with their hearty approbation.

Now, sir; as to owing my election to democratic votes it is entirely false. We have but two democratic townships in our county, both of these gave my opponent, A. M. Poundstone, a majority vote, whilst the four Republican townships gave me a majority vote. The more radical the township the greater was my majority. These are facts that non can deny, as the The chief feature in financial circles to-day was the publication of private tele-grams from Washington in regard to the action of Congress on finances. Prominent among these was one to the effect that all measures looking to the funding of the debt would be ubandoned for this year. This news gave general satisfaction as the funding bill now before Congress is looked to the property of the property of the pro-traction of the property of the pro-traction of the property of the pro-traction of the protraction of the pro-traction of the protraction of the pro-traction of the pro-tracti

These are facts that none can deny, as the oll books will prove them true.

Now, sir, I desire to present a few facts Now, sir, I desire to present a review in regard to the character of the author of a the finmous letter, Ex-Rebel, Col. John L. i Nelson. He is a poor, low, degraded, drinken wretch, often found wallowing in the gutter. At one time he was not allowed to enter any in the grade of our hotels, but had to seek one of our hotels, but had to seek lodging in the hay mows or in the street. I have seen him so beastly drunk and so lost to all moral decency as to expose his person in a public place. This poor, pititul sneak, owes me now several dollars (some twenty or thirty) for flour, groceries, &c., furnished his family, while he was drunk, wallowing in the dirt, "worse than an infidel," failing to provide for his house, and the street in the National credit. Bankers, generally, took for further inprovement in Europe when it is known that funding is abandoned for this year.

WASHINGTON.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 17.
The Committee on Ways and Means, this morning, heard Mr. Bailey, of New York, on behalf of equalizing the tax on the American and Foreign Life and Fire Insurance Company. The Committee has resolved 8 to 1, to reduce by \$80,000,000 the Internal Revenue bill which is on the best of reflective \$100,000. As to Mr Cozad, I give him but a pass Ing notice. As far as he is known, I be-lieve all know him to be a dirty black-guard. The other parties whose names are annexed to the letter, are all respecta-

ble citizens of Upshur county.
In due time I will produce the certificate In due time I will produce the certificate of one of the men whose signature is attached to that letter, certifying that the letter was promulgated for the express purpose of defeating my election, on account of my extreme radieal proclivities. This letter was used against me in the campaign last fall, by men who were then and are now strongly in favor of enfranchising every rebel in the State at once. For want of space, I will close for the present. Thos. G. Farnsworth. Wheeling, Feb. 17, 1870.

WHEELING, Feb. 17, 1870. News of the Day.

Late advices from Venezula state that e rebels have captured several towns, and that the government troops have been lefeated in nearly every engagement. It is generally thought that the reduc-tion of interest by the banks on the conti

ment of Europe will create an improved lemand for U. S. securities. demand for U. S. securices.

A fight took place at Red Lake, Minn.
on Tuesday, between a rough, named
Mike O'Connor alias Red Handed Mike,
and a gambler named McCarthy. The
latter got the worst of it, and retired, but oon returned with a revolver, and shot

A fire this morning, totally destroye he extensive woolen mill of John P

000 the Internal Revenue bill which is on a basis of collecting \$160,000,000. The Income tax is to be reduced, but not abolished. President Grant and the Administration favor a reduction of the tariff by \$20,000,000 and of Internal Revenue by \$30,000,000. Reports are that it is impossible to find the National debt at a lower rate of interest and the project has been given up for this year.

The House Committee on Foreign Affairs, to-day, discussed at length the reso-

fairs, to-day, discussed at length the reso-lutions relative to the contest between

Cuba and Spain introduced yesterday by Mr. Banks. No conclusion was reached and its consideration will be resumed at its next meeting.

Destructive Fire at Philadelphia. PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 17.

A fire this morning, totally destroyed the extensive woolen mill of John P. Brannon, on Hamilton street. The mills extended over the whole block between 23d and 24th streets, and was valued at \$750,000, and the stock on hand was valued at \$75,000. Seven hundred hands were employed in the mills. The total insurance on the mills, machinery and stock is about \$450,000. The origin of the fire was at first thought to be from the explosion of the boiler, and was attend-with the loss of life. This, however, is now denied.

Commercial and Financial. New York Money and Stock Market.

MONEY—There was good demand for mone this afternoon; market steady at 5@6 per cent of call. Discounts casy at 7.28 per cent.

NYSHLING—A shade frame at 1085(2010). Good offers to sell on options; opened at 1195; closed at 1195; The Assistant Transcer and \$1,000,000 at 119.392(319.88). Carrying rates 3@6 per cent. (Joyannasan Bonde Lucarances \$22,000,000.

rrsky—Dull and drooping; sales at 93c. us—Dull at \$8 750,9 25; receipts 1,100 head

Chicago Market. PLOUR-Lower; medium grades moderately active; other descriptions dull; spring extras a

New York Produce Market.

Baltimore Market. FLOUR-Active and higher for

Provi Hacon-Firm, 194(613c; hams 196(30c. 15(c; shoulders 194(613c; hams 196(30c. 15(c) 196(3)c. Withery—Better at 29c(6)c. for wood and ire

GEORGIA. AUGUSTA, GA., Jan. 16.

Money should be sent by Draft, Post Office Order, or Registered Letters, and when so sent is

NoTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a bill will be introduced in the West Virginia Legislature, to change the charier of Try Lydinal said densirier failyond charter, and the name of the failtroad hereafter to be the Pittabargh, West Virginia and Charleston Tailroad.

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